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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 (copy enclosed) of September 9, 2004, **Application No. 10/500,987**, dated July 6, 2004, enclosed is the executed Declaration of inventors Natan Sela, Shmuel Bukshpan, Michael Kardosh.

Additionally, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account Number 01-2384 for the late filing fee in the amount of \$130.00, as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 01-2384. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/06/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/06/2004
- Oath or Declaration filed on 07/06/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/06/2004

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

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Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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